

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9939

INFO AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE

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E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP GB US

SUBJ: VISIT OF GABONESE PRESIDENT AND OTHER HIGH-LEVEL  
OFFICIALS TO US

REF: PARIS 4884

1. GABONESE EMBASSY HAS INFORMED US THAT BONGO AND  
PARTY WILL FLY ON GABONESE DC 8/63, REGISTERED  
T R L T2, RADIO CODE GLAF, EXPECTED ARRIVE FEB 28 AT  
1300 HOURS LOCAL, OVER HYANNIS EN ROUTE FOR KENNEDY  
AIRPORT. PARTY OF 42 INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING (PLUS 14  
CREW MEMBERS):

PRESIDENT BONGO  
MRS. BONGO  
MR. OMBOUMA, CABINET DIRECTOR  
DR. OKIAS  
GENERAL NKOMA  
GENERAL BA OUMAR  
AMBASSADOR LEFLEM  
FIDELE ETCHENDA, COUNSELOR  
LEON LEKOUNDA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL, PROTOCOL

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MBONGO VICTOR, DIRECTOR, OFFICIAL TRIPS  
MR. NDJEMBO, DIRECTOR, PRESS  
MR. MVOUAMBA, DIRECTOR, PRESS  
LT. MOUBANDJO  
2ND LT. OBEYE  
MR. NICOUE GODFROY  
CAPTAIN DIOP ASSANE

SGT. OMBOUNGOUU LEON  
SGT. NGARI EDOUARD  
SGT. KABANY PAUL  
SGT. LEKOURA  
CPL. BONGO GERARD  
CPL. TALADJI  
2ND CLASS OKANAS MOHAMED  
6 JOURNALISTS  
MR. ANGOUANDA, ATTACHE, PRESIDENCY  
MR. IGUENDZA, ATTACHE, PRESIDENCY  
10 SERVANTS

2. GABONESE EMBASSY, SHINGTON, HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED  
TO PASS THIS INFO, AND ITINERARY OF OKINDA, NTOUTOUME,  
MAYILA AND AMBASSADOR KASSA MAPSI (REPLACING AMBOUMA),  
TO DEPARTMENT.  
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## Message Attributes

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